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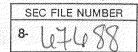
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# ANNUAL AUDITED REPORT FORM X-17A-5 PART III

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Information Required of Brokers and Dealers Pursuant to Section 17 of the

Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and Rule 17a-5 Thereunder REPORT FOR THE PERIOD BEGINNING A. REGISTRANT IDENTIFICATION NAME OF BROKER-DEALER: SAL OFFICIAL USE ONLY FIRM HD. NO ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS: (Do not use P.O. Box No.) (No. and Street) (Zip Code) NAME AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF PERSON TO CONTACT IN REGARD TO THIS REPORT **B. ACCOUNTANT IDENTIFICATION** INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT whose opinion is contained in this Report\* (Name - if individual, state last, first, middle name) CHECK ONE: M Certified Public Accountant ☐ Public Accountant

\*Claims for exemption from the requirement that the annual report be covered by the opinion of an independent public accountant must be supported by a statement of facts and circumstances relied on as the basis for the exemption. See section 240.17a-5(e)(2).

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☐ Accountant not resident in United States or any of its possessions.

# OATH OR AFFIRMATION

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<sup>\*\*</sup>For conditions of confidential treatment of certain portions of this filing, see section 240.17a-5(e)(3).

SALOMON WHITNEY LLC STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION December 31, 2009

LEONARD ROSEN & COMPANY, P. C.

Certified Public Accountants

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15 MAIDEN LANE NEW YORK, N. Y. 10038

## INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

The Member Salomon Whitney LLC

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of Salomon Whitney LLC as of December 31, 2009. This financial statement is the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the financial statement based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the Statement of Financial Condition presents fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Salomon Whitney LLC at December 31, 2009, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Leonard Loven + Company, P.C.

New York, New York February 17, 2010

# Salomon Whitney LLC Statement of Financial Condition December 31, 2009

Cash Receivable From Clearing Broker:		\$170,304
Commissions Deposit Account Receivable From Non-Customers Prepaid Expenses Security Deposit Fixed Assets, Net of Related Allowance for Depreciation of \$17,187	\$106,236 <u>15,000</u> —	121,236 25,524 21,007 10,500 52,217 \$400,788
	Liabilities and Member's Equity	
Liabilities: Accounts Payable		<u>\$91,541</u>
Total Liabilities	<del></del>	91,541
Member's Equity		309,247
		\$400,788

See Accompanying Notes to the Financial Statements

#### SALOMON WHITNEY LLC

#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

**DECEMBER 31, 2009** 

# 1. Organization and Nature of Business

Salomon Whitney LLC (the "Company") is a Limited Liability Company registered in the State of New York. The Company is a broker-dealer registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") and is a member of the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority ("FINRA"). The Company is whollyowned by Angia Holdings LLC.

The Company operates under the provisions of Paragraph (k) (2) (ii) of Rule 15c3-3 of the SEC and, accordingly, is exempt from the remaining provisions of that rule. Essentially, the requirements of Paragraph (k) (2) (ii) provide that the Company clears all transactions on behalf of customers on a fully disclosed basis with a clearing broker/dealer, and promptly transmits all customer funds and securities to the clearing broker/dealer. The clearing broker/dealer carries all of the accounts of the customers and maintains and preserves all related books and records as are customarily kept by a clearing broker/dealer.

# 2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

## A. Revenue Recognition

Commission income (and the recognition of related income and expenses) is recorded on a settlement date basis, generally the third business day following the transaction date. There is no material difference between trade and settlement date.

## B. Cash and Cash Equivalents

For the purpose of the statement of cash flows, the Company considers demand deposited money market funds to be cash and cash equivalents.

#### C. Use of Estimates

Management uses estimates and assumptions in preparing financial statements. Those estimates and assumptions affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, revenues and expenses.

## D. Commissions

Commissions and related clearing expenses are recorded on a settlement date basis as securities transactions occur.

#### E. Fixed Assets

Fixed Assets are carried at cost. Depreciation is provided on a straight-line basis using estimated useful lives. Additions and betterments are capitalized, whereas the costs of repairs and maintenance are charged to expense as incurred.

#### 3. Income Taxes

As a Limited Liability Company the Member is subject to any taxes on income that the Company may earn. Therefore, there is no provision nor benefit for income taxes in the accompanying Statement of Income.

## 4. Commitments and Contingencies

The Company is obligated under the terms of a lease for the period February 1, 2008 through February 1, 2011. Rent expense for the year ended December 31, 2009 amounted to \$42,000.

The future minimum lease payments are as follows:

For the year ended December 31,

2010	\$42,000
2011	_3,500
	\$ 45,500

#### 5. Financial Instruments with Off-Balance-Sheet Credit Risk

As a securities broker, the Company is engaged in arranging for the buying and selling of securities for a diverse group of individual investors. The Company's transactions are introduced to a clearing broker/dealer for a split of commissions earned on a fully disclosed basis.

The Company's exposure to credit risk associated with non-performance of customers in fulfilling their contractual obligations pursuant to securities transactions can be directly impacted by volatile trading markets which may impair the customers' ability to satisfy its obligations to the Company and the Company's ability to liquidate the collateral at an amount equal to the original contracted amount.

The Company seeks to control the aforementioned risks by monitoring all transactions entered into on a daily basis and insuring that no incorrect trades are recorded.

# 6. Net Capital Requirement

The Company is subject to the Securities and Exchange Commission's Net Capital Rule 15c3-1, which requires the maintenance of minimum net capital and requires that the ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital, both as defined, shall not exceed 1,500%. At December 31, 2009, the Company's net capital of \$ 178,424 was \$ 172,321 in excess of its required net capital of \$ 6,103. The Company's capital ratio was 51.3%.

# 7. Reserve Requirement Computation

The Company is registered with FINRA as a Broker Dealer exempt from SEC Rule 15c3-3 under Section (k)(2)(i). Therefore, they are not required to compute 15c3-3 Reserve Requirements.

## 8. Possession and Control Requirements

The Company is registered with FINRA as a Broker Dealer exempt from SEC Rule 15c3-3 under Section (k)(2)(i). Therefore, they are not subject to Possession Or Control Requirements under SEC Rule 15c3-3.

## 9. Subsequent Events

The Company has evaluated events and transactions that occurred between December 31, 2009 and February 17, 2010, which is the date the financial statements were available to be issued, for possible disclosure and recognition in the financial statements.